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USING A GAME RULES SCRIPT

AMENDMENT & RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116

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In response to the Final Office Action dated December 27, 2010, please amend the application as follows:

This response is accompanied by a Petition, as well as the appropriate fee, to obtain a 1month extension of the period for responding to the Office action, thereby moving the deadline for response from March 27, 2011 to April 27, 2011. This response is further accompanied by a Request for Continued Examination. Applicant respectfully requests entry and consideration of the present amendments.